

**THE HAYMARKET PERMANENT LAND,
BUILDING, AND INVESTMENT COMPANY,
Limited.**

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

The Eighth Annual General Meeting of the above Company will be held on THURSDAY, 14th December, at 7.45 p.m., at the TEMPERANCE HALL, Pitt-street.

BUSINESS:

The consideration and adoption of the Annual Report and Balance-sheet.
The election of two Directors.
The election of two Auditors.
The consideration of any other business which may be brought before the meeting in conformity with the Articles of Association.

In the event of an elector being contested, voting papers will be duly posted to each shareholder.

J. W. DUESBURY,
Corn Exchange, George-street, Sydney. *Manager.*

1914 November, 1888.

IF the person who stole Plans and part of specifications from Seath and Goffield's job, Main-street, Salem, does not return them at once will be prosecuted.

NOTICE.—Mr. W. H. B. CARROLL has no authority to receive contributions on behalf of the Misses Robbs Gospel Army Recue Work.

G. E. ARDILL, Director.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted in my name without my written authority.

December 1. CALLAGHAN, Clerk,
654, Georgetown.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given, that

NOTICE—The engagement of Mr. W. E. Carroll as Collector for the New South Wales Amalgamated Society for the Promotion of Morality and Social Purity has been terminated.

A. TURNBULL
Hon. Clerical Secy.

IT WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DEBITS contracted in my name, without my written assent hereby.

GEORGE KING,
Market St. E. Pioneer.

NOTICE—If Messrs. RAPPLES, Chestman, Vicks, Hanford, Large, Moks, Trimm, Newham, Gales, Emory, and unknowns, do not return their boxes from B. Charlotte-place, within seven days, will be sold.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS

IMPORTANT—**DEPART**

IMPORTANT PUBLIC NOTICE

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Municipal Elections

COOK WARD ELECTION

TO THE ELECTORS OF COOK WARD,

I take this opportunity of thanking those gentlemen of my committee, and other friends, who have so ably supported me, and worked so hard for me, during the past year.

Hoping that on some future occasion you may avail yourself of my services,

I am, Sir, Your obedient servant,
 GUS. BUCKLEY.

12, Moore Park-road, December 1, 1888.

COOK WARD ELECTION.
 ALL ACCOUNTS against the Committee of Mr. GUS. BUCKLEY.

HAM must be rendered to the Hon. Secretary not later than 10 o'clock on TUESDAY, 21st instant, at Federal Hotel, Crow-street.
C O O K ————— W A R D
 Committee Rooms:
CROWN and CAMPBELL STREETS.
 Alderman A. J. RILEY's Committee request all ACCOUNTS to be rendered at once.
RORT. HACKET,
 Hon. Sec.
M R. T. H. DEARIN wishes to return thanks to his Committee for the exertions to secure his election as Alderman for Brisbane Ward.
B R I S B A N E ————— W A R D ————— E L E C T I O N.
 ALL CLAIMS against M. T. H. DEARIN's Committee to be addressed to Secretary, care of Odliffe's Hotel, Sussex and Druce streets.

at least not later than TUESDAY.
 Committee will please MEET on TUESDAY EVENING, 8 o'clock, to settle Claims.
 W. M. LANGNEY } Ex. Sec.
 W. R. MANNING }
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SPORTING INTELLIGENCE

THE TURF.

A final reminder is given to owners and trainers of racehorses that the general entry for Tattersall's Club Midwinter Handicap is open to all horses, but that the entry for the Secretary, Mr. James Ferry, and that the following events will need attention:—First day: Hurdle Race, a handicap sweepstakes of 3 svs. each for starters, with 150 svs. added, second horse to receive 25 svs. from the prize, 21 miles; Flying Handicap, a handicap sweepstakes of 3 svs. each for starters, with 150 svs. added, second horse to receive 25 svs. from the prize, 6 furlongs; Race for Ladies, a handicap sweepstakes of 1 s. each for 100 svs. w.f.a. selling allowances, 7 furlongs; Race for a furlong; and Ladies' Bracelet, a winner handicap sweepstakes of 3 svs. each for starters, with 150 svs. added, second horse to receive 25 svs. from the prize, lowest weight 12 lb., 1 mile. Second day: New Year's Gift, a handicap sweepstakes of 3 svs. each for starters, with 200 svs. added, second horse to receive 25 svs. from the prize, 12 miles; Selling Handicap, a handicap sweepstakes of 1 s. each for 125 svs. w.f.a. selling allowances, 7 furlongs; Steeple chase, a handicap sweepstakes of 5 svs. each for starters, with 200 svs. added, second horse to receive 50 svs. from the prize, 2 miles; and Flying Handicap, a handicap sweepstakes of 1 s. each for 125 svs. w.f.a. selling allowances, 5 furlongs; Club Handicap, a handicap sweepstakes of 3 svs. each for starters, with 200 svs. added, second horse to receive 50 svs. from the prize, 12 miles. The entrance fee of one s. must accompany the nomination form for each event. forfeits will also fall due for the Carrington Stakes, the Lady Carrington Stakes and Tattersall's Cup, on Jan. 10 today.

The sum of \$500 was distributed in stakes at the December meeting of the Rosehill Racing Club on Saturday, December 12, 1936. The stakes were as follows: \$100 for the victory of Crepper in the Diaplosi Stakes and Major in the Steeplechase respectively; \$50 each, E. W. Dwyer and Neptune in the Diaplosi Stakes; \$200 by the wins of Esperance, Glueville, and Neptune in the Granville Stakes, Maiden Hurdle Race, and Ashfield Handicap respectively; while each of S. Fielder, L. C. Fielder, and M. J. Swinn won \$100 each by their respective nominations, running second in the events aforementioned.

The stakes were presented to Mr. E. McCarty for coming late to scale with Chestnut in the Deepwell Stakes, and for winning colors on R. Y., in the Ashfield Handicap at Rosehill on Saturday.

The best horse of retaining Crepper, the winner of the Diaplosi Stakes at Rosehill on Saturday, the owner, Mr. J. Swinn, had to pay £150, and as the speed daughter of Newelville, who had won the whole of the purchase money, was in the funds of the club.

At Tattersall's Club on Saturday, the following scratchings were posted in connection with the Mid-winter meeting on December 13, 1936: Lady Marion, Phlox, Lady Mary, Lady Marion, Eleanor, Zanita, Tattersall's Cup: Pasha, Monte Christo, Phlox. Lady Carrington 1/2ize: The Monk, W. D.

It was noted that the racehorse Carbury has changed hands, but that he will still remain under S. Fielder's care at Randwick.

The winter rain was most welcome to trainers, and has effected great improvement upon the training tracks at Randwick, where the work will soon be of an interesting

The weights for the handicaps to be decided at the December meeting of the Moorfield Racing Club are promised this forenoon.

The annual meeting of the Wilkesboro Jockey Club close to-morrow evening.

A number of accounts over the Roosevelt December meeting takes place to-day at Tattersall's rooms.

The Jumeo Racing Club are to the fore with an attractive bill of fare for their annual reunion, to be on Friday, February 6 and 7, when added money amounting to \$3500 will be offered for the following races:—The 1000 Guineas, 1000 yards, presented by Mr. S. Kelly, and will go with the Jumeo Cup of 100 sows, the principal event of the meeting.

The annual meeting of the Yernoe Race Club will have place to-morrow, and the day will be a success, though the day was rather hot, and the attendance up to the average. Several improvements were apparent in the racetracks, the principal of which was the new fence, which was built on a new plan, and course, and so providing for an uninterrupted view of the racing. Proceedings commenced with the Hurdis Race, 2 miles, for which Postal, 12at., Glascaus, 11st. 4lb., and Emeralds, 7st. 7lb., were the principal contestants, and the latter, undisturbed, who went to the post at 2 to 1 on, had no difficulty in defeating his opponents.

Though in company with Emeralds, the son of Emeralds, and the latter, who was the favorite, were defeated with the running of Glascaus, who had a lead of 4 furlongs in the early part of the contest, and called upon the riders for a further effort.

The Flying Handicap, 6 furlongs, attracted half-a-dozen contestants, and on the strength of the performances at Wages, Drumstick, though carrying 12st., was the favorite, and was the winner, and he was, however, told on the son of Bandmaster at the finish, and Emeralds, 7st. 7lb., beat him by half a length, while Desmond was a length off third, the journey having been made in 1m. 10s. 1/2.

The 1000 Guineas, 1000 yards, was the next contest, and was won by the Yernoe Handicap, 1 mile 3 furlongs, the Wages Derby winner, Bulwyck, 7st. 1lb., was most in demand, while W. E. Gladstone, 11st. 4lb., was the second, and W. E. Gladstone, 11st. 4lb., was the third, and W. E. Gladstone, 11st. 4lb., was the fourth, and W. E. Gladstone, 11st. 4lb., was the fifth, and W. E. Gladstone, 11st. 4lb., was the sixth, and W. E. Gladstone, 11st. 4lb., was the seventh, and W. E. Gladstone, 11st. 4lb., was the eighth, and W. E. Gladstone, 11st. 4lb., was the ninth, and W. E. Gladstone, 11st. 4lb., was the tenth, and W. E. Gladstone, 11st. 4lb., was the eleventh, and W. E. Gladstone, 11st. 4lb., was the twelfth, and W. E. Gladstone, 11st. 4lb., was the thirteenth, and W. E. Gladstone, 11st. 4lb., was the fourteenth, and W. E. Gladstone, 11st. 4lb., was the fifteenth, and W. E. Gladstone, 11st. 4lb., was the sixteenth, and W. E. Gladstone, 11st. 4lb., was the seventeenth, and W. E. 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the temporary structure. Consequently the means of supply was inadequate, and an ill-fingered gentry, who are always to the fore on such occasions, relieved some of the pleasure seekers of their purses, while others involuntarily lost their lives.

It is, however, which should engage the attention of the railway authorities at an early date, for it is not too much to expect that proper arrangements will be made in time to the railway revenue every year. The course and its surroundings looked bright and sunny, and the racing was a true life heaven. The catering of Mr. Austin was a trial to the usual standard, and the luncheon was well prepared. It seemed that the racing was well managed, but as a rule, neglect to provide proper means of transit for jockeys who may receive injuries on the course until after the necessity for their removal has been ascertained. New York, a workman in the Stiepelbach, had a bad fall at the back of the course, resulting in injuries that necessitated his removal to the hospital. It was forwarded to that institution was anything but creditable to the Roselli authorities. Accidents are almost inseparable from racing, and it is the duty of the management to see that the safety of the racegoers is as well as that of the horses, and it behooves the Roselli management to provide a proper ambulance service as soon as possible. Mr. H. Dawson officiated as starter, but the race was not very exciting, owing to the depth in the Granville Blake, owing to the worst ever seen on the course. Mr. J. R. O'Flaherty occupied his usual position in the grandstand, and his services were well appreciated. He was so far recovered from his recent illness as to be able to superintend the general

arrangements with his accustomed friends. The Grand Jury, however, was not so readily deceived. Nineteen out of the twenty were indicted for the Grand Jurors. The protest was the support accorded Second Thought, that the public were induced to the belief that they were about to see a one-horse show, but though backed down to 6 to 4, the favourite was overruled by the thirty Espérance of last justified her breeding by the horses returning to meet a protest was entered upon the ground that the horse had been started in front of the post, but after inquiry the complaint was dismissed. When the flag was lowered Espérance was several lengths ahead of the rest and from the start she was a long way in front of the post, and if such was not the case, then race-glasses

First innings	58, and was only taken off a difficult catch. The Osbornes in their second innings made a very poor defence, and were dismissed for 80 runs. C. Brown scoring 27, and C. Cowherd 16. The Osbornes were bowled out for 100 runs, securing wickets at the small cost of 25 runs, while Hutton secured three for 16. It should be noted that the Osbornes were bowled out by 10 men. The following are the scores and bowling analyses:—	100
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The Parramatta and Belvidere met on Saturday on the former's ground. Belvidere - on the top, and as the weather was rather soft, they were obliged to play on the grass - so the day wore on, they sent the Parramattas to the wickets, and disposed of them for 51 runs; Walford 10, Collier 6, Shute 6, Sandries 3, Brodie 2.

Belvidere, who had only nine men to bat, were all disposed of for 75. W. Richardson playing a cool innings for his side, scored 28, and Collier 12 was the next highest scorer.

Following are the scores:-

PARRAMATTA.	
Brodie, E. Halligan,	Goolwin, absent
H. C. Chapman,	W. H. Worth, B. Richardson
A. J. Brown,	S. G. Westarkoff, R. Henderson
C. A. Vassall, E. Richardson,	R. Henderson, J. M. Collier
J. M. Collier,	C. Shute, B. Chalmers
C. D. Bond, B. Richardson,	Sandries
Nesbit, R. Hudson	Total
W. Richardson	51
A. Nesbit, 12 runs.	Belvidere, runs;

BELVIDERE.	
Moses, E. Chapman, B. Whitworth	Hurnside, at Home
E. Whithorn, not out	Ducker, B. Nesbit
C. A. Vassill, E. Brodie	W. H. Worth, S. G. Westarkoff, B. Chalmers
C. A. Vassill, B. Brodie	Sandries
	Total
	75

Lillipans, c Neele, b Ben-	Total	= 75
Bowling Analysis.—Bennett, 3 wickets, 18 runs; Brodie, 4 wickets, 42 runs; Whitworth, 1 wicket, 15 runs.		
The match will be resumed on the 15th.		
DOUBLE BAT met Manly, and the former won by 2 runs, mainly owing to their excellent bowling and fielding. Appended are the scores:—		
DOUBLE BAT.		
H. Sweetman, b Fraser	Jae, M'ridley, b Fraser	0
A. Sweetman, b Fraser	J. J. Richardson, b Fraser	6
J. J. Taylor, b Fraser	15 J. Kiddle, c Smith, b Fraser	9
M. McIwail, not out	15 A. Ferguson, b Fraser	0
C. Cuddeback, not out	7 Substituted, b Fraser	0
F. Loder, b Fraser	0 Sandries	4

John McIntosh, c	Gorman,	Total	51
M Baybury	c		
Manly.			
W. Fraser & James McIntosh	b	Marbury, run out
B Loder	9	C Smith & Loder 9
Gorman b Loder	0	H. Moss & A. Sweetman 1
J. Taylor & B.H. Sweetman	1	Tebbit & H. Moss 1
m.m.h.	j	Hosking, not out 2
A. Likson & B. Sweetman	0	Handry 0
H. W. Wood & Sweetman	0		
A. Frazer & B. Sweetman	20	Total	49

Albert and Sydney met at Wentworth Park, on matting.
 Albert and Sydney were the first bats, and scored
 54, playing with only eight men (T. Deane 22, Hughes 12).
 Sydney scored 80 for the loss of eight wickets (S. Gregory

score: K. Hume 17, H. Doonan 15). The following are the			
ALBERT.			
Ardeale, E. H. Hume	3	S. Deane, e. Hume	8
Berridge, b. e. H. Do-	3	Peaks, not out	3
Doonan, H. Doonan	3	Weeks, at Seaside b. Hume	5
T. Deane b. H. Hume	3	Sundries	7
Doonan, H. Doonan	12	Total for 2 Humes	54
Hughes, b. H. Doonan	20	Total for 2 Humes	54
Following Analysis - E. Hume, 35 for 35; H. Doonan, 4 for 31.			
STEWART.			
S. Gowing, e. Berridge, b.	17	Newell, not out	10
Ardeale, b. Hume	20	Berridge, e. Berridge, b. Y.	0
Kelly, b. Hume	20	Deane, e. Deane	0
Doonan, H. Doonan	17	Doonan, b. T. Deane	0
H. Doonan, e. S. Deane, b.	17	Law, e. Hughes	6
H. Doonan, e. S. Deane, b.	17	Sundries	8
Doonan, e. S. Deane, b.	17	Total for eight weeks 80	
Doonan, e. S. Deane, b.	17	Total for 2 Humes, Ave for 35; T. Deane, Ave for 35	
Forwirth, one for 12.			

The match between Canterbury and Paddington in the Electronics contests was resumed on the Agricultural Ground. The first innings of the Paddington, which started on the Saturday preceding, closed with a total of 100 runs, 10 wickets, and 10 overs. The following are the

dismissed badly, two wickets being down for 3 runs. G. Aitken and A. Crane then settled down and brought the score up to 53. Hiddinton then took the third wicket for 18 and three runs were added to the score. The four wickets that were captured subsequently brought the score up to 99. E. and J. H. Robinson, the two last batsmen, were dismissed for 18 and 13 respectively, and the following was the conclusion of the afternoon's play the former with 13 and the latter with 11 to their credit brought the total up to 112. The match was then adjourned for the first wicket yet to fall. The turf wickets played excellently, and the match will be re-sumed next Saturday. At present it is at an interesting stage, but in favour of Padington. The following are the scores:-

PADINGTON.		CANTERVARY.	
Hiddinton, run out	36	G. A. Aitken	51
Robinson, do	13	E. and J. H. Robinson	18
McKenzie, do	18	C. Crane, G. Young, & Callaway	0
Callaway, do	18	G. Aitken, C. Leary, & Callaway	0
McKenzie, & Aitken	13	Crane, & Hiddinton	96
Callaway, & Harbour	13	Crane, & Robinson	18
McKenzie, & Robinson	13	Crane, & Nob	5
		Hiddinton	13

Young, run out	13	2	
Adams, c. & Gentry, b. Aiken	13	2	
Young, run out	13	2	
Adams, c. & Gentry, b. Aiken	13	2	
Sundries	13	2	
Total	194		
			116

The second eleven of the Alberts visited North Shore, and defeated the North Shore Belmont team. Scores: Alberts 10, North Shore 20 and 10. North Shore Belmont, 78 (Robertson 20 and Mills 17). A. M'Shane, with four wickets for 13, and Bennett five for 41, bowled effectively for the Alberts, while Mills, with six wickets, was the most successful of the batting side.

Sydney Grammar School and King's School (second elevens) played a match, which was won by the former by an innings and 100. Crickett 10; King's School, 15 and 25. For the Grammar School Dewhurst and Crickett bowled splendidly, as did Light for King's School.

North Shore Belmont, 10; North Shore Belmont Park. The wicket was in a bad condition. Scores: Grammar School, 21 and 81 for five wickets (Crisp 44 not out, H.

James 18 not out, and Alford 13, Davis 11). In the first innings of Grammar School, Gelling took five wickets for six, and Davis five for 15. For the School Macpherson took five for 22, and Gelling four for 15.

The second Carlton and second University commenced two days' match on the Oval. The University went to the wickets first, and were disposed of for 88 runs, on a treacherous wicket (Counsel 89). The Carlton bowled best, and a right bowler for the Carltons, and secured eight wickets for 34 runs. The Carltons went in, and the wickets being worn, they lost seven wickets for 65 (Griffiths 29 and 30).

The Hornsby and the True Blue club met at Parramatta for the *Underland Argus* Cup on Saturday. Hornsby scored 67 (Counsel 89), and the True Blue most and it resulted in a draw, the top scorers. The True Blue lost two wickets for 63 when time was called (Egans 32 not out, and Jones 17 not out), playing very well. The fielding on both sides was good. The match will be resumed next Saturday.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

— MELBOURNE, SUNDAY.

On Saturday the cricket match, Richmond v. East Melbourne, was played at the Richmond Cricket Ground. Richmond had scored 302 in their first innings. East Melbourne making only 141, had to follow on. In their second innings closed for 203 (Dwyer, 100; Storey, 34; and Gifford, 24). Richmond, in their second, have lost one wicket for 17. In the match with Williamson v. Melbourne, the latter scored 250 for seven wickets (Gilbert, not out, 100; and Morris, 80). In the match with the previous team made 142. Melbourne won in their first innings by three wickets and 108 runs. North Melbourne played in the second innings, but were bowled out for 100. In their first innings had scored 76, and North Melbourne had lost six wickets for 54. The innings closed yesterday for 215. In their second innings lost four wickets for 186. Dawkins, not out, 71.

GOULBURN, SATURDAY.

The first match of the season, between the Goulburn and Oriental cricket clubs, was concluded to-day, the former winning by three wickets.

**NEW SOUTH WALES ROWING ASSOCIATION
ANNUAL REGATTA.**

INTERCOLONIAL CHAMPION FOUR-OARED RACE.

The New South Wales Rowing Association held their annual regatta on the Parramatta on Saturday afternoon. The weather was fine and breezy, there being a good

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BALMAIN SAILING CLUB.
The sail-off for second place between the 16th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102nd, 103rd, 104th, 105th, 106th, 107th, 108th, 109th, 110th, 111th, 112th, 113th, 114th, 115th, 116th, 117th, 118th, 119th, 120th, 121st, 122nd, 123rd, 124th, 125th, 126th, 127th, 128th, 129th, 130th, 131st, 132nd, 133rd, 134th, 135th, 136th, 137th, 138th, 139th, 140th, 141st, 142nd, 143rd, 144th, 145th, 146th, 147th, 148th, 149th, 150th, 151st, 152nd, 153rd, 154th, 155th, 156th, 157th, 158th, 159th, 160th, 161st, 162nd, 163rd, 164th, 165th, 166th, 167th, 168th, 169th, 170th, 171st, 172nd, 173rd, 174th, 175th, 176th, 177th, 178th, 179th, 180th, 181st, 182nd, 183rd, 184th, 185th, 186th, 187th, 188th, 189th, 190th, 191st, 192nd, 193rd, 194th, 195th, 196th, 197th, 198th, 199th, 200th, 201st, 202nd, 203rd, 204th, 205th, 206th, 207th, 208th, 209th, 210th, 211st, 212th, 213th, 214th, 215th, 216th, 217th, 218th, 219th, 220th, 221st, 222nd, 223rd, 224th, 225th, 226th, 227th, 228th, 229th, 230th, 231st, 232nd, 233rd, 234th, 235th, 236th, 237th, 238th, 239th, 240th, 241st, 242nd, 243rd, 244th, 245th, 246th, 247th, 248th, 249th, 250th, 251st, 252nd, 253rd, 254th, 255th, 256th, 257th, 258th, 259th, 260th, 261st, 262nd, 263rd, 264th, 265th, 266th, 267th, 268th, 269th, 270th, 271st, 272nd, 273rd, 274th, 275th, 276th, 277th, 278th, 279th, 280th, 281st, 282nd, 283rd, 284th, 285th, 286th, 287th, 288th, 289th, 290th, 291st, 292nd, 293rd, 294th, 295th, 296th, 297th, 298th, 299th, 300th, 301st, 302nd, 303rd, 304th, 305th, 306th, 307th, 308th, 309th, 310th, 311st, 312th, 313th, 314th, 315th, 316th, 317th, 318th, 319th, 320th, 321st, 322nd, 323rd, 324th, 325th, 326th, 327th, 328th, 329th, 330th, 331st, 332nd, 333rd, 334th, 335th, 336th, 337th, 338th, 339th, 340th, 341st, 342nd, 343rd, 344th, 345th, 346th, 347th, 348th, 349th, 350th, 351st, 352nd, 353rd, 354th, 355th, 356th, 357th, 358th, 359th, 360th, 361st, 362nd, 363rd, 364th, 365th, 366th, 367th, 368th, 369th, 370th, 371st, 372nd, 373rd, 374th, 375th, 376th, 377th, 378th, 379th, 380th, 381st, 382nd, 383rd, 384th, 385th, 386th, 387th, 388th, 389th, 390th, 391st, 392nd, 393rd, 394th, 395th, 396th, 397th, 398th, 399th, 400th, 401st, 402nd, 403rd, 404th, 405th, 406th, 407th, 408th, 409th, 410th, 411st, 412th, 413th, 414th, 415th, 416th, 417th, 418th, 419th, 420th, 421st, 422nd, 423rd, 424th, 425th, 426th, 427th, 428th, 429th, 430th, 431st, 432nd, 433rd, 434th, 435th, 436th, 437th, 438th, 439th, 440th, 441st, 442nd, 443rd, 444th, 445th, 446th, 447th, 448th, 449th, 450th, 451st, 452nd, 453rd, 454th, 455th, 456th, 457th, 458th, 459th, 460th, 461st, 462nd, 463rd, 464th, 465th, 466th, 467th, 468th, 469th, 470th, 471st, 472nd, 473rd, 474th, 475th, 476th, 477th, 478th, 479th, 480th, 481st, 482nd, 483rd, 484th, 485th, 486th, 487th, 488th, 489th, 490th, 491st, 492nd, 493rd, 494th, 495th, 496th, 497th, 498th, 499th, 500th, 501st, 502nd, 503rd, 504th, 505th, 506th, 507th, 508th, 509th, 510th, 511st, 512th, 513th, 514th, 515th, 516th, 517th, 518th, 519th, 520th, 521st, 522nd, 523rd, 524th, 525th, 526th, 527th, 528th, 529th, 530th, 531st, 532nd, 533rd, 534th, 535th, 536th, 537th, 538th, 539th, 540th, 541st, 542nd, 543rd, 544th, 545th, 546th, 547th, 548th, 549th, 550th, 551st, 552nd, 553rd, 554th, 555th, 556th, 557th, 558th, 559th, 560th, 561st, 562nd, 563rd, 564th, 565th, 566th, 567th, 568th, 569th, 570th, 571st, 572nd, 573rd, 574th, 575th, 576th, 577th, 578th, 579th, 580th, 581st, 582nd, 583rd, 584th, 585th, 586th, 587th, 588th, 589th, 590th, 591st, 592nd, 593rd, 594th, 595th, 596th, 597th, 598th, 599th, 600th, 601st, 602nd, 603rd, 604th, 605th, 606th, 607th, 608th, 609th, 610th, 611st, 612th, 613th, 614th, 615th, 616th, 617th, 618th, 619th, 620th, 621st, 622nd, 623rd, 624th, 625th, 626th, 627th, 628th, 629th, 630th, 631st, 632nd, 633rd, 634th, 635th, 636th, 637th, 638th, 639th, 640th, 641st, 642nd, 643rd, 644th, 645th, 646th, 647th, 648th, 649th, 650th, 651st, 652nd, 653rd, 654th, 655th, 656th, 657th, 658th, 659th, 660th, 661st, 662nd, 663rd, 664th, 665th, 666th, 667th, 668th, 669th, 670th, 671st, 672nd, 673rd, 674th, 675th, 676th, 677th, 678th, 679th, 680th, 681st, 682nd, 683rd, 684th, 685th, 686th, 687th, 688th, 689th, 690th, 691st, 692nd, 693rd, 694th, 695th, 696th, 697th, 698th, 699th, 700th, 701st, 702nd, 703rd, 704th, 705th, 706th, 707th, 708th, 709

likely to be made. If the weather proves favorable, sailing of rowing men is expected at Chowder Bay.

Mr. Wm. Beale, Peter Kemp, James Simpson and John W. Nelson are expected to be present, or to take part in the annual carnival which opens on the 6th instant. A number of New South Wales sporting and rowing men are also expected to be present on the occasion.

PEDESTIANISM.

The second, third, and fourth rounds of the Ashburton Cup will be run this afternoon, the first heat being run at 3 o'clock. The draw will take place on the track at 2.30.

Accompanes for the Sir Joseph Banks Gold Cup Handicap of 800 sows, close to-night at the Burnmangh Road.

BOWLS.

The formal opening of the Newtown Bowling Club Green took place on Saturday afternoon, when some 600 persons were present. The bowling was commenced by numerous visitors from other clubs, and was followed by the members of the Newtown Club, who were accompanied by a large number of guests. The bowling was then continued by the leading residents of the town. The game was terminated by Mr. Pissley, and presented by him to the club. It has been beautifully made, and on Saturday was again used by the green. It is a very fine specimen of the English style.

Newman, and the generous gift of Mr. Fory has greatly promoted the welfare of the club, which, so far, has not been very successful in its matches.

LAWN TENNIS.

Owing to the courts being much in play on Saturday the first round of the Sydney Lawn Tennis Club Handicap on Saturday next will not be available until Wednesday next. The following matches must be played on Friday next, viz.:

P. R. Colquhoun v. R. M. Smith
E. Bremer v. E. Fitzgerald
J. R. And v. W. W. M. Tait
H. Shewen v. W. A. Byer.

The second round will be commenced on Saturday, the 14th instant.

PIGEON SHOOTING.

An advertisement appearing elsewhere intimates that 200 pigeons will be shot at in competition on Tuesday at certain grounds, Tempe, commencing at 2 o'clock.

RAILWAY MISMANAGEMENT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

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MAILS.
THIS DAY.

MELBOURNE, 4.15 and 7 p.m.
ADELAIDE, 4 p.m.
HOBART and LAUNCESTON, 7 p.m.
CHURCHLAND, 3 p.m.
MANNING RIVER, 11 a.m.
PORT MACQUARIE and FRANKMOUNT, 11 a.m.
RICHMOND RIVER, 6 p.m.

TUESDAY.

HOBART and LAUNCESTON, VIA DEER, 11 a.m.

BUREAU AND NORTHERN PORTS, 3 p.m. and 4 p.m.
 NORTHERN PORTS OF NEW ZEALAND AND WELLINGTON, 2.30
 P.M.
 CLARENCE RIVER, 3 p.m.
THURSDAY.
 PORTS (W. A.), INDIA, AND CONTINENT OF EUROPE.—Overland
 to Melbourne and thence to Orient Company's steamer Urmus,
 2.30 p.m.
 UNITED KINGDOM.—Overland to Melbourne and thence per
 Orient Company's steamer Urmus, 3 p.m.
 AUCKLAND AND ALL NEW ZEALAND PORTS, 3 p.m.

PARCEL MAIL.
 Parcels addressed to the United Kingdom and certain foreign
 countries via the United States will be received at the
 Mangles Office, George-street, for transmission per P. and O.

Company's steamer Victoria up to noon on FRIDAY, the 7th December. Parcels must not be posted in a letter-box, but must be sent by registered mail, with the necessary declaration to their contents and value must be signed. Parcels addressed to Germany will also be received at the Parcels Office for transmission per German steamer Haaburg, up to noon on THURSDAY, the 6th December.

ABSTRACT of SALES by AUCTION THIS DAY.

THOMPSON, FARNELL, and CO.—At Newmarket Markets, at 2, Bishops' Place, at 3, Fanny Goods, Vauxhall, at 1, WOODIN and ROBBEDS.—At 15, Barry-street, Darlinghurst, at 11, Furnell, &c.

G. W. FATE and CO.—At Missenden-road, Newtown, at 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 84

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1890.

LORD SALISBURY denounces what he describes as meddling sympathy which has been expressed for political offenders. He is strongly in favour of women's suffrage.

UNBENT appeals made for an increased amount of space for New South Wales and Victoria at the forthcoming Paris Exhibition have failed. Sir Oliver Herby has been elected one of the British Exe-cutive Council of the Exhibition.

OFFICIAL attempts made to decrease the bitterness existing between the Austrian and German journals failed to be succeeding.

THE health of Mr. John Bright is stated to be improving.

SIR HENRY WYLLIE NORMAN, Governor-General, has been appointed to the Governorship of Queensland.

THE Times deprecates the action of the Imperial Government in re-appointing the obnoxious Governor by appointing as Governor of the colony one of its ablest servants of the Crown. Several of the objects urged against Sir Henry Blake, so the Times says, also apply to the appointment of Sir Henry Norman.

SIR GRHAM BERRY has received from the Royal Society for Baron von Mueller the medal awarded in recognition of his researches concerning the flora of Australia.

M. DE PARCERWER is asking the French Chamber Deputies for an immediate war credit of four hundred million francs.

THE Maori footballers have defeated a team representing Ireland by 4 goals and a try to 1 goal and a try. This makes 14 wins out of 19 matches for Maoria.

The Calumet and Hecla Copper Mine, in Northern America, is reported to be again on fire.

The Chinese Exclusion Acts passed by New York, Wales and New Zealand will remain in operation until the year 1903, when the British Government and Chinese Government have agreed to revise the Acts.

In relation to the Acts still continue.

This question of continuing to provide salaries for those of emigrating to the colonies the right to come to their pensions upon actual year use has been discussed by the Agents-General and the Imperial authorities. The Agents-General doubted whether special grants would be made by the colonies, but they refer the question to their respective Governments.

It is stated that Russia is preparing to build a new overland route to a town on the coast of the Bering Sea and the Dauls.

A MEXICAN newspaper states that owing to the man New Guinea Company being in difficulty, the territory has been offered to the German Government for four million marks.

It is announced that Colonel Stedley, formerly of the French attaché, has been expelled from Alsace by the German authorities.

The debate on Mr. Dibb's motion of censure was concluded in the Legislative Assembly just after six o'clock on Sunday morning. The motion was carried. The division list showed 18 yeas and 12 nays.

On Saturday the municipal elections resulted in the return of the following candidates:—Gippe Ward, Mr. Young; Bourke Ward, Mr. Dean; Brisbane Ward, Mr. Hardy; Macquarie Ward, Mr. Lees; Cook Ward, Mr. Riley; Fitzroy Ward, Mr. Poole; Phillip Ward, Mr. Harris; and Denison Ward, Mr. Martin.

The Intercolonial Champion Four-year Race was rowed on the Parramatta River on Saturday afternoon, and the results were as follows:

St. Brigid's new Roman Catholic Church at St. Albans, which has cost £5000, was opened yesterday by Cardinal Moran, Bishop Murray, Doris, and by

consisting at the moment. The collection amounted to £800, in addition to the £3500 already subscribed.

A heavy storm at Lismore levelled the Al Theatre to the ground, the damage being estimated over £4000. A very destructive storm occurred at Casino on Friday.

SIXTY-SIXY men have arrived at Cooktown to-day, with between 7000 and 8000 of the Malaria fever is still prevalent on the island, and it is said that the good die is practically worked out.

A WATER supply scheme for Brisbane, recommended by Mr. Davidson, of Melbourne, has been approved by the Government. The estimated cost of it is £216,000.

The steamer Iris, bound from Cooktown to Sydney, Ball, in ballast, sprang a leak, and foundered on Bowen on Friday night. All hands were saved.

SPLENDID rain has fallen over a large portion of Queensland. It was raining at Brisbane yesterday.

THE SINGAPORE FREE PRESS, SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 1907.

Japan on Saturday.

A good deal of interest is being taken in the new carnival which will begin at Brisbane next Wednesday. The Beach, Kemp, Stansbury, and Nelson were all welcomed on Saturday. Scarcely will you again see a carnival at the Beach; but it is improbable that Hansen will not appear at the depot.

A fire occurred at Plattsburg early yesterday morning, destroying a five business premises and one dwelling house in Nelson-street.

The Belfast Freezing Works, at Chritchard was destroyed by fire on Saturday. The works were insured for £25,000, and the damage is estimated at £13,000.

The total loss occasioned by the recent fire at Wailala is estimated to be from £32,000 to £35,000.

A dispute which has lasted over 13 years, between the Melbourne Typographical Society and the owners of the Melbourne *Advertiser*, was terminated last night.

The great fire in Market-street gives special interest to the movement for the supply of water to the city.

hydraulic power in Sydney. Last summer the prospects of that enterprise were very hazy. Two rival syndicates or companies were applying to Parliament for the necessary powers. One bill was favoured, the other was opposed by the City Council. The prorogation brought the contest temporarily to a stand, but it was quickly resumed after the new session had begun. At first it seemed that as a consequence both bills would be lost. Under these circumstances the two sets of promoters made common cause. One of the bills was withdrawn, and the other, having the assent of the City Council, was

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pushed rapidly through the Legislative Assembly. It has since received more careful though favourable attention in the other House. The enterprise has various points of interest. It is intended to provide a number of manageable motive power for a number of purposes connected with the life and business of a large city. This power will be laid on like the gas, and when required for use will operate as soon as a tap is turned. It will be useful for working lifts and driving machinery in situations where it would be inconvenient or unprofitable to apply steam power. In some other countries compressed air is used in a similar manner for like purposes. Here the chief competitor will be the gas-engine, with which we are all familiar. But there is one purpose for which the hydraulic power will be available, whilst the gas-engine would not, and that is the extinction of fires.

In the last volume of "Minutes of Proceedings of the Institution of Civil Engineers," which has just reached Sydney, there appears a paper on the distribution of hydraulic power in London, which was read before the Institution by one of its members, Mr. E. B. Elliott, who has probably had more to do with this particular form of enterprise than anyone else in England. In the course of the paper, reference was made to Mr. GREATHREAD's injector-hydrant. By this apparatus, attached to the ordinary water-service mains on the one hand, and connected with the hydraulic power mains on the other, a most efficient and readily applicable agency is provided for the extinction of fires. To quote Mr. ELLIOTT's words, "a small jet of high-pressure water injected into a larger jet from the waterworks mains, intensifies the pressure of the latter in the delivery hose and also increases the quantity. By this means a jet of great power can be obtained at the top of the highest building without the intervention of fire engines." The Hydraulic Power Company's mains are laid under a considerable number of the streets of London; but for some reason the injector-hydrants have only been brought into use to a limited extent. In Hull, however, the corporation has put down a number of them, and it is reported that they have been used with great success.

The paper was discussed at considerable length by members present, and some remarks made upon this particular branch of the enterprise are just now worthy of notice. Whatever Captain SHAW has to say in connection with the extinction of fires will carry weight. He gave an account of two experiments that he had witnessed with the injector-hydrant. The one was made at the Albert Dock some years ago. The pressure in the ordinary water main was 16 lb. per square inch, which, when the water was turned on, threw a 1-inch jet to a height of about 20 ft. The hydrant was supplied with water from an accumulator at a pressure of 700 lb. per square inch. When the high-pressure water was allowed to drive into the low-pressure jet, it immediately produced a stream about 60 ft. in height. The other experiment was of a more satisfactory character. It was made quite recently near the company's pumping establishment. The normal pressure in the ordinary water-main was about 40 lb. per square inch, and when a hose was attached, it threw a jet into the air to a height of 40 ft. or 50 ft. Water at a pressure of 700 lb. was then injected through an opening of three-eighths of an inch. Immediately the stream rose to a height of 90 ft. or 100 ft., "which," says Captain SHAW, "was most satisfactory in every way, and would have been as useful as any fire-engine in extinguishing a fire. It had been proved that wherever the pipes lay in close proximity to ordinary low-pressure pipes, or even pipes without pressure, by turning on one of the injector-hydrants a result would be produced just as satisfactory as could be expected from any single fire-engine."

Mr. GREATHREAD himself took part in the discussion, and he made the statement that, according to Mr. BATEMAN, the loss from fire in Manchester had been reduced by six-sevenths after the introduction of high-pressure hydrants, whilst, according to Mr. CHADWICK, the loss had been reduced in Liverpool by three-fourths. But here we may quote some remarks which seem to have direct application to the case of Sydney. "It might be asked," said Mr. GREATHREAD, "why not alter the general water supply in London in order to fit it for the extinction of fires as had been done in Liverpool and Manchester? The answer was this: In Liverpool and Manchester the supply was by gravitation, and the water as delivered had a natural pressure, whereas in places like London, the whole of the water had to be pumped, and of course the water companies did not employ more power than was necessary for the purposes of their customers." To raise all the water delivered in London to the additional height required for the extinction of fires would involve an expenditure of at least £160,000 a year. But "in addition to that the general public would be hampered by the presence of an excessive pressure in many cases, and there would also be involved the relaying of all the pipes and mains in London." On the other hand, by means of the hydraulic power supply and the use of the injector-hydrants jets could be produced from the ordinary water mains "as efficient as any that could be obtained either in Liverpool or Manchester by gravitation, or in London by the use of fire-engines." Here we have had a hot controversy as to the respective merits of a low-level pumping scheme and a high-level gravitation scheme. The former has been preferred, and partly on the ground suggested by Mr. GREATHREAD in the case of London, that to increase the pressure would necessitate the relaying of the mains and pipes. The enterprise of the Hydraulic Power Company seems likely to supply the means for obtaining the advantages of a high-level gravitation scheme in the extinction of fires without subjecting the public to this additional inconvenience and outlay.

The speculative mania in Victoria seems now to be rapidly abating. The necessary support on which it has been maintained for some time having been removed by the action of the banks, the business promises a speedy collapse. Any calm review of this business suggests considerations of over present interest, for it is too much to hope there will not be a repetition of it in some form or other. There are not a few members of the community who, when they come to speak at all, can describe very unpleasant experiences they had in one or other

of the mining manias during the last forty years. "The boom" in Victoria embraced three features—co-operative enterprises, silver-mining stock, and land. While there was always a good share of business in mining and in land, enterprise in co-operative companies received an unwelcome development about two years ago. A return laid upon the table of the Victorian Parliament showed that in the year ended 31st May no fewer than 270 companies, with a nominal capital of £52,253,094, were formed. The amount paid up was not stated, but it was large. Many of these companies have passed out of existence. Their character may be gathered from the following analysis published at the time in the *Australasian Insurance and Banking Record*:—Banks and banking companies, £8,000,000; insurance companies, £420,000; finance and agency companies, £14,877,000; land companies, £12,082,710; mining companies, £3,789,700; trading companies, £12,892,284; miscellaneous, £211,400. Since then a considerable number of other companies have been formed. From May 12 to June 12 we learn from the same source that no fewer than 37 new companies, and ten new issues were formed, with £10,489,825 of nominal capital, of which £2,489,846 was paid up, and on which there was a further liability of £2,857,880. In July 10 companies were floated, with a nominal capital of £3,195,000, of which £400,000 was paid by the public. Concurrently with this company-forming business was the silver-mining speculation, which was at its height in the opening months of this year. Immense sums of money changed hands in the stocks of over 200 companies quoted on the stock and share lists, although not more than three or four of these had paid dividends.

And more extensive than all the other factors in "the boom," which has caused so much inflation in Victoria, is the land business. Begun two or three years ago, the enterprise was rapidly promoted, and as business in companies and silver declined, the feverish excitement of the people of Melbourne concentrated itself on "land." The interest became so great that the suburban train service was a few weeks back taxed to its utmost to provide accommodation for people who wanted to make fortunes in real property. Visitors from Sydney, accustomed as they had been to business of the same kind in their own city, were dumbfounded at the loud talk they heard of the scores of thousands made and to be made in city and suburban properties. And Victorian speculators did not confine their attention to Melbourne or its suburbs. They stimulated the promotion of companies, in which they took up large quantities of stock, in this and other colonies. Their silver-mining transactions were based on properties in New South Wales. They bought up land in Sydney, Adelaide, Brisbane, and even in the cities of New Zealand. Such are the main features of "the boom" which is now waning. The enterprise was legitimate up to reasonable limits, but in all there has been excess, and the people will now begin to count the cost, and pay the piper. The banks which promoted and encouraged the business could no longer support it. Although they had the proceeds of the wool clip coming in, there was still such a drain upon their resources that they were obliged to put up their rates to endeavour to draw money into their coffers, and to prevent it being applied for too freely, and since then we are told that they now refuse to lend money on securities based on land speculation. The drought and its claims have to be faced, and they will want all their money to help those who deserve help.

All this feverish excitement in Victoria, going under the name of "the boom," has really not represented the prosperity which some have supposed. The Melbourne banks of issue in the September quarter advanced £8,000,462 in excess of the advances in the third quarter of 1887, an increase of no less than 28.6 per cent., and no doubt the bulk of this was advanced on land. An advance of 4 or 5 per cent. would have probably sufficed for trade requirements. Moreover, there has been a vast increase in the amount of the advances of the building societies, mortgage banks and property investment companies, which have lent, as we learn from statistics compiled in the October number of the *Australasian Insurance and Banking Record*, a total of £21,000,000, the bulk of it on land and real property during the past three years. And there are still other commitments. Detaching from the advances of the banks and other institutions from £6,000,000 to £7,000,000, the probable amount owing on buildings, the bulk of which is retaining interest to the borrowers, the speculators of Melbourne will probably have to pay on account of land and other unprofitable securities a sum of £20,000,000, more or less. That is the legacy of debt due to "the boom" transactions.

And while the people of Victoria have this large amount of debt to pay off, it will not be contended that they have so much more wealth. That sum, whatever it is, must include a considerable amount of money lost in unproductive mining, company formation expenses, and other non-productive enterprises with unduly watered capital, as well as the amount of the inflation of the land values. So far as the land is concerned, the money has been but transferred from one hand to another, the country being only so much the poorer by the cost of the transfer. Undoubtedly the suburban lands of value. But that depends in the main on the ratio of the increase of the population, although the abundance of money seeking investment from the old world is no doubt a factor at the moment in giving some additional appreciation to land values. The price of land, whether city, suburban, or country, depends on population and trade. If these be steady, then it will commonly be found that the value of land is stationary, unless, as we have said, outside capital comes to disturb the situation. A Melbourne paper devoted to land business rightly says: that we ought to remember that Melbourne is increasing in population at the rate of 20,000 per annum. That, however, would only justify the creation of about 4000 or 5000 suburban allotments for the year. Lately we were told that there were 50 different land sales on one Saturday, at which there were probably as many allotments sold as would be necessary for the building requirements of the year. The conversion of these suburban plots into building allotments would give a recognised increment of value; but as for the scores of thousands of other allotments sold, the increment can only come with the growth of the city.

It will be seen, therefore, that those who have been pointing to the wonderful "boom"

in Melbourne as an indication of prosperity, may have reason to modify their opinion. The spending of money freely, while it lasts, gives the appearance of prosperity. But when it comes to an end, another aspect of affairs is presented. We can speak feelingly in this colony, although our excesses in private speculation have not reached the Melbourne figures. The banks there, as we have said, have applied a check not a day too soon. Those who want more money for land speculation are not to get it. Those who want banking accommodation for legitimate trade requirements are to have it. The former class may be expected to work away as cheerfully as they can to meet their losses or pay their debts. The latter must put up with the inconvenience of high rates as best they can. And so "the boom" will be long if not happily remembered.

The first city elections under the new Corporation Act have taken place, and, as was expected from the enlargement of the constituencies by the inclusion of householders, the interest was far more widespread than on previous occasions. Where there were nearly three times as many electors as under the old Act, it could hardly have been otherwise. Although all householders may not directly pay taxes, they do so indirectly through their rentals; and their interest in clean thoroughfares, and in good municipal government generally, is not less real than that of the property-owners. Nevertheless, it is rather remarkable that in Bourke Ward only 1189 votes were recorded on Saturday, as against 1873 in the election last year. In the case of Phillip Ward, however, the votes recorded last year were only 780, as against 1577 this year. In none of the other wards was there a contested election in 1887. Whatver the enlarged constituency has done, it has not reversed the judgment of the more limited one which preceded it, for, with the exception of Mr. EVAN JONES, for whom Mr. MARTIN has been substituted, all the old aldermen have been returned. The citizens cannot be blamed for re-electing their old friends. It will be remembered how some years ago there were general complaints of the character of the men then in the council; how unwelcome agitation resulted in the return of such men as Mr. ALEXANDER DEAN, Mr. JOHN YOUNG, Mr. HARDIE, Mr. RILEY, and the MAYOR. On aldermen of experience such as these it is not expected that either a limited or an enlarged constituency would turn their backs, and the new electors have not done so. We have at times had to refer to defects of municipal government, but adverse criticism would probably lie against any body of aldermen. Even when things have been at their worst, the charges have been less serious than have been made against one or other of the great corporations of America; and they have not been at their worst for some years past. There has, indeed, been distinct improvement arising from the introduction into the council of experienced business men. It will not be said, perhaps, that everything is yet perfect. But it may be hoped that all the weak spots have been discovered, and that the remedy has been applied, and that there are no further disclosures of fraud to be revealed as the result of defective bookkeeping or insufficient oversight in any of the departments of the corporation. Good municipal administration means the making of the best use of the funds placed at the disposition of the aldermen, in the making, cleaning, and lighting of the city; and in duly proportioning the expenditure to the requirements of the various wards. Financial difficulties have generally been the chief cause of the embarrassment of the council in the past. And this is the one thing which we may hope the first and all other councils under the new Act will be able to avoid. The men who bring out their private accounts with balances on the right side should be able to keep the corporation accounts straight.

In the course of his remarks the other night, when proposing the health of Mr. GOODCHAP, Mr. LACKY took occasion to refer to the fact of his friend having worked for many years with "hobblers on." The phrase was a happy one upon an occasion of that kind, when the company was largely composed of persons more or less connected with pastoral or sporting pursuits. It tersely explained what was meant by crippling an enterprising man by winding round him a web of red tape. But the political head of a department too often acts the part of Archimedes through necessity rather than caprice. Whatver failure of administration may take place, the Minister of the department is held responsible for them. It can hence be concluded what Mr. LACKY meant when he laid any errors that might have occurred in the administration of the Works Department at the door of the system, rather than on those who had to work under it. We can readily understand how political timidity too often paralyses commercial enterprise. A Minister might adopt the saying of the Latin sage, "I know the best, but still the worst pursue," as a species of excuse, paradoxical though it appear, for rashness on the one hand, or for apathy on the other, when he was attacked, through his being as much fettered with red tape as his subordinates. If the recent change in the working of the Railway Department, and the submission of any proposal for embarking in large public works to a board outside Ministerial control, means anything at all, it means the release of the Minister from responsibilities which were previously thrust upon him. Mr. LACKY implies that any error of judgment or lack of zeal which the subordinate officers of the Works Department might be chargeable with in the past was due to the cramped school in which they worked, and to a very great extent he is right. The mischief arising from feeble or reckless administration has too often been due to the fact of political heads of departments being selected injudiciously, and fidelity to party having more to do with deciding their claims for office than any qualifications they might possess for carrying out particular duties. Perhaps the most successful Ministers have been those who were guided by their subordinates, and who contented themselves with mere suggestions. We can thoroughly understand what "official hobblers" mean, but it has never been clear that they have been worn alone by those who Mr. LACKY considers have been obstructed by them. Ministers have had to wear them

likewise. Under the new system the managers of our railways will not work with hobblers on. Partially, at all events, they will be free both from Ministerial and Parliamentary interference, although we see that in Victoria it is complained that the Railway Department is still made a sphere for political influence. Where there is responsibility there must be power, and in the past our railway authorities have had a good deal of responsibility and very little power.

NEWS OF THE DAY

A MEETING of an interesting nature took place at Admiralty House, St. Leonards, on Friday morning last, when a number of ladies, under the presidency of Mrs. Fairfax, assembled for the purpose of learning to write or embody the "Railway" system of reading and writing for the blind. Mr. H. S. Pym, the teacher of the New South Wales Home Teaching Society for the Blind, attended and imparted the necessary instruction to the learners, all of whom displayed considerable aptitude in acquiring the art. The object of this class will be to gradually provide embossed books, which will be lent to the blind of the colony through the medium of the free circulating library of the society. In London, for some years past, much useful work has been accomplished in this direction by a class of seeing ladies, under the auspices of the British and Foreign Blind Association for Promoting the Education and Employment of the Blind, and it is believed that a proportionate amount of good will be effected by the ladies who held their first meeting last week.

THE municipal elections, which took place on Saturday, resulted in the return of seven of the retiring aldermen, Mr. EVAN JONES being the only alderman who failed to retain his seat. He was defeated by Mr. Martin for the representation of Denison Ward. The question of the election of Mayor for the coming year was discussed at the elections on Saturday. Several candidates are vying for the chair, but the present Mayor is the only alderman who has definitely announced himself as a candidate. His supporters assert that the Mayor will secure a majority of two to one against any candidate who may go to the vote.

THE Interoceanic Champion Four-oared Race was rowed on the Parramatta River on Saturday afternoon, and resulted in a win for the Victorians, who were stroked by Mr. G. E. Upward. New Zealand, Tasmania, and New South Wales were also represented on the occasion. The race was rowed on a flood tide, the wind being behind the men. The Victorians got the best of the start and soon had a length to the good; but before they had gone very far the New Zealanders, who were rowing well, started and drew nearly level with them. The Victorians, however, were able to maintain their lead, and keeping on, they finished lengths in front of the New Zealanders. New South Wales being third, and Tasmania last. The time for the distance of about two miles and a half—was 12 minutes 58 seconds. The South Wales men fouled the Tasmanians during the contest.

THE Brisbane Tattersall's Gold Cup, to be rowed on next Saturday at the Brisbane race, was on view at Farmer and Co's, Pitt-street, on Saturday, and will be on view again to-day. The cup, the manufacture of Mr. T. M. Aldrich, has been presented to the racing club by Mr. Charles Westcott. It is an elegant design after the Etruscan, the base being solid silver, the bowl of gold, 22-carat, and the bowl and handles of solid silver. It is surrounded by a solid gold figure of horse and jockey, and very nicely engraved.

THE letter of our St. Petersburg correspondent, which appears in another part of this issue, deals with the question of the late Emperor Frederick's termination and public effect of the recent interview of the Emperor of Germany and the other monarchs; the publication of the memoirs of the late Emperor Frederick; King Milan's treatment of his Queen; the movements of the Czar and Czarina in making themselves personally better acquainted with the remote parts of their dominions; their arrival and reception at Tiflis; the interment of the remains of the late Count Adolph; the inauguration of a new Russian Church near Jerusalem, and comments on the series of murders that have taken place in and near St. Petersburg during the past few months.

THE rate of interest to record in connection with the movements of the military forces during the past week. The Government have decided to increase the rate of interest on the New South Wales and a number of the men have already returned to the Victoria Barracks. The remainder will return during the present week. No. 12 Battery Volunteer Artillery Reserves proceeded to Middle Head on Saturday, where they were exercised during the afternoon in shot practice.

A ONST deal of dissatisfaction has been expressed lately by merchants and others at the rate of the Treasury. The rate is considered to be altogether too high, as it brings the Treasury into competition with the creditors in a way that is out of all proportion. Whenever meetings in large estates are held the creditors express their disapproval of this tax upon their pockets. It is believed that the Chamber of Commerce is about to make the rate of the Treasury authorities to the matter, with a view to obtaining a reduction of the charge. It is stated that the question is now under consideration by the authorities, and that it is probable a considerable reduction in the charge will be made at the beginning of next year.

WE are requested to state that the jurors summoned and the witnesses subpoenaed to attend the Darlinghurst Criminal Court to-day need not attend till next Wednesday at 10 a.m.

THE sitting of the Central Criminal Court will be continued at the Darlinghurst courthouse at a quarter to 10 o'clock this morning.

FOR some time past it has been the practice of the Railway Department to charge an increase of 20 per cent on the rates for grain, flour, &c., when consigned to inland towns from Sydney, Newcastle, and Murrumbidgee. We understand that the commissioners have decided to carry wheat and other grain from the seaboard to the country until further notice, at the same rates as when consigned from the country. Flour and other mill produce on the down journey will continue to be charged as at present.

THE reopening of the Newtown Markets was celebrated by an influential gathering of the leading residents of that suburb on Saturday afternoon. Messrs. Thompson, Ramsay, and Co. have recently had the markets re-arranged and improved in various ways, and on Saturday afternoon they were reopened in their new form. The stalls and side shows had a neat appearance, and the buildings were tastefully decorated with bunting. One feature of the new order of things is the exclusion of all Chinese from the building. Light refreshments had been provided in the auction mart of the firm, which is situated in part of the market buildings, and the Mayor of Newtown (Mr. R. F. Blyden) presided over upwards of 30 guests. In proposing the toast of "Prosperity to the Markets," the chairman referred to the commercial progress of Newtown, and expressed his pleasure at seeing such a large industrial place as the market growing and prospering in the midst of a town and other growth of the suburb. The names of the members of the firm were the best guarantee they could have that the establishment would be conducted fairly, honourably, and on business principles. Mrs. Thompson and Farnell acknowledged the toast in a few appreciative remarks. Alderman Neale proposed "The Prosperity of the Borough of Newtown," and the toast was acknowledged by Alderman Sparkes (Mayor of Camperdown), who said that Newtown should have a large central market under the council. Mr. Garrett also made a speech in which he congratulated the firm, and the Mayor, and the "The Press," were duly honoured and acknowledged, after which the gathering dispersed.

YESTERDAY, being Advent Sunday, special sermons were preached in most of the Church of England places of worship, in and around Sydney, in aid of the funds of the Church Society. The Prime, being absent from the colony, and therefore unable to follow his usual custom of preaching in aid of the society's claims, forwarded a circular letter, which was

read to most of the congregations. It is believed that the funds of the society will receive a substantial addition as the result of the collections of yesterday.

THE bazaar held in the Temperance Hall in connection with the Bathurst-street Baptist Church was brought to a successful termination on Saturday evening. Both in the afternoon and evening the hall was crowded, and a large amount of business was done. The Leichhardt Orchestra Society, under the leadership of Mr. Roland Hartley, were very successful in their performance during the evening. The organ fund will be considerably augmented by the proceeds of the bazaar.

MR. J. P. PARKER writes to correct a statement in our London Letter in Saturday's issue, to the effect that Mr. Charles Morley, nephew of Mr. John Morley, was the assistant editor of the *Pall Mall Gazette*. Mr. Parker says Mr. E. Cook, of Cambridge University, is the assistant editor of the *Gazette*; but Mr. Charles Morley, who was formerly connected with the *Queensland Press*, is the editor of the *Pall Mall Budget*, the weekly summary of the *Gazette*.

THE report in connection with Prince Alfred Hospital for the week ending last December is as follows:—Number of in-patients at last report, 115 males, 1 female; since admitted, 31 males, 19 females; discharged, 21 males, 14 females; died, 4 males, 4 females; remaining in hospital on last December, 121 males, 70 females; number of out-patients treated during the week, 277; number of cases cured, 260; not admitted, 192; total, 469.

THE GOVERNORSHIP OF QUEENSLAND.

APPOINTMENT OF SIR HENRY NORMAN.

[BY CABLE.] (FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Nov. 30. General Sir Henry Wylie Norman, G.C.B., the present Governor of Jamaica, has been appointed to the Governorship of Queensland.

THE *Times* deprecates the action of the Imperial Government in rewarding the obstinacy of Queensland by appointing as Governor of that colony one of the ablest servants of the Crown. The *Times* holds that several of the objections urged against the appointment of Sir Henry Blake will also apply to the appointment of Sir Henry Norman. The decision of the Victorian Assembly upon the question of the appointment of colonial Governors, the *Times* says, furnishes a conclusive argument against the Imperial Government conceding to the colonies the right to veto the appointment of a Governor.

In regard to the system of appointment suggested by Sir Henry Parkes the *Times* argues that the effect of the adoption of it would be to make every governor a suspected partisan as soon as he landed to take up his vice-regal duties.

THE *Times* in a leading article this morning says the result of the division and demonstration in the Legislative Assembly of Victoria, the chief Australian colony, is a crushing answer to Sir Charles Gavan Duffy and others, who have contended that the colonies ought to be consulted in regard to the appointment of Governors. Victoria, it declares, assuredly does not desire that the ties between the mother country and the colonies should be made more slender than they now are. The discussion clearly discloses the difficulty of altering the system hitherto pursued by the Colonial Office.

THE *Saturday Review*, in writing on the same subject, accuses Sir Thomas M'Leith of being an avowed Separatist, and the mouthpiece of the party which conceals unavowed purposes under the attractive title of "Young Australia."

General Sir Henry Norman is the son of the late Mr. James Norman. He was born in London in 1826, and married, first, in 1853, Selina Eliza, daughter of Mr. Tottenham Sandys. He was appointed major in the Bengal Infantry, March, 1844, and served as adjutant to Sir Bengal Infantry throughout the Punjab campaign, the battles of Chillianwallah, Gooat, and at the occupation of Peshawar. He served during the mutiny campaign, and was present throughout the whole of the operations of Delhi, and at the final relief of Lucknow, having his horse shot under him; the campaign in Rohilcud, where he was wounded, and the final campaign in Oude, 1858-9. He received three war medals and six clasps; was created C.B. in 1859, and received the brevet of major and lieutenant-colonel the same year; was aide-de-camp to the Queen from 1865 to 1869, when he became a major-general (brevet) 1877, and general 1882; was in receipt of a good service pension. General Norman has been assistant military secretary at the Home Office, and for more than eight years was secretary to the Government of India in the Military Department. He was appointed a member of the Council of the Government of India in 1870, and retired in March, 1877. He was appointed member of the Council of India in 1878, and became Captain-General and Governor of Jamaica in 1883.

GERMAN NEW GUINEA COMPANY.

AN OFFER TO SELL THE COMPANY'S PROPERTY.

[BY CABLE.] (FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Dec. 1. A Munich newspaper announces that the German New Guinea Company is in difficulties, owing to some mismanagement. The paper also announces that the territory occupied by the company has been offered to the German Government for four million marks.

THE ILLNESS OF MR. JOHN BRIGHT.

HIS CONDITION IMPROVING.

[BY CABLE.] (FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Dec. 1. The Right Hon. John Bright, who was recently reported to be in a critical condition, is now improving.

THE PANAMA CANAL.

[BY CABLE.] (FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Dec. 1. M. de Lesseps, writing to the shareholders in the Panama Canal Company, says that a moment's hesitation in raising the loan for the completion of the canal would endanger the success of the enterprise.

FRANC BRAND N. Z. MEATS.

These celebrated canned meats can be obtained for household purposes, in cases of 12 different lines, from all grocers. M. Moss and Co., Sydney, sole agents.—[Adv.]

EUROPEAN CABLEGRAMS.

THE MAORI FOOTBALLERS.

LONDON, Dec. 1. The Maori team of footballers have defeated a team representing Ireland by four goals and a try to a goal and a try.

DISTINCTION TO BARON VON MUELLER.

LONDON, Dec. 1. The Royal Society has handed to Sir Graham Berry, Agent-General for Victoria, for transmission to Baron Von Mueller, the medal awarded by the society to that scientist in recognition of his researches in the flora of Australia.

AN AMERICAN MINE ON FIRE.

LONDON, Dec. 1. The Calumet and Hecla copper mine, in North America, is again reported to be on fire.

FRANCE AND GERMANY.

EXPULSION OF A FRENCH EX-ATTACHE.

[BY CABLE.] (FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Dec. 1. It is reported that Colonel Stoffel, formerly a French attaché, has been expelled by the German authorities from Alsace.

FRENCH WAR CREDIT.

FOUR HUNDRED MILLION FRANCS ASKED FOR.

[BY CABLE.] (FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Dec. 1. M. de Freycinet, the French Minister for War, asks the Chamber of deputies for an immediate war credit of 400,000,000 francs.

AUSTRIA AND GERMANY.

ATTEMPTS TO ALLAY THE BITTER FEELING.

[BY CABLE.] (FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Dec. 1. The official attempts which have been made to calm the bitterness existing between the Austrian and German journals are stated to have been attended with some measure of success.

BRIDGING THE DANUBE.

ANOTHER RUSSIAN UNDERTAKING.

[BY CABLE.] (FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Dec. 1. Information has been received to the effect that Russia is preparing to build a bridge over the Danube at Bonni, a town situated at the confluence of the Pruth and the Danube.

THE CHINESE EXCLUSION ACTS.

THE ACTS TO REMAIN IN OPERATION.

[BY CABLE.] (FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Dec. 1. Baron de Worms, Under-Secretary for the Colonies, stated in the House of Commons that the Chinese Exclusion Acts passed by the Parliaments of New South Wales and New Zealand would be allowed to remain in operation, as it did not appear that the Acts came into conflict with the treaties existing between the British Government and China, nor the claims put forward by the Chinese Government. He also stated that parleying between the British Government and China, in relation to the Chinese Exclusion Acts, was being continued.

THE PARIS EXHIBITION.

THE REQUEST FOR COLONIAL SPACE NOT ALLOWED.

[BY CABLE.] (FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Dec. 1. The Lord Mayor's committee has reported that the most urgent appeal which was made to M. Berger, the director of the Paris International Exhibition, in support of the application for an extension of space beyond that allotted to the colonies at the Exhibition, has failed.

The name of Sir Graham Berry, the Agent-General for Victoria, has been added to the British Executive Council of the Exhibition.

[BY TELEGRAPH.] (FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, SWITZERLAND. Instructions have been sent to the agent-general to apply for 40,000 sq. ft. of space at the Paris Exhibition for Victorian exhibits. The Government consider that 19,000 sq. ft. previously allotted is totally inadequate. Information from the Agent-General has enabled Mr. Gillies to inform the other colonies that the Australian exhibits will be arranged next to those of Great Britain.

LORD SALISBURY AT EDINBURGH.

[BY CABLE.] (FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Dec. 1. The Marquis of Salisbury in the course of his speech, delivered in Edinburgh, denounced the maudlin sympathy that had been expressed with political offenders. Speaking on home affairs he said that personally he was strongly in favour of woman's suffrage.

DEPARTURE OF SIR THOMAS M'LEWRAITH.

[BY TELEGRAPH.] (FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BRISBANE, SWITZERLAND. Sir Thomas M'Leith left for China and Japan by the Barcoo on Saturday afternoon. A very large number of friends and the public assembled to see him off. About 80 men of the Queen's Land Scottish, with their band, formed a guard of honour. Sir Thomas was very much affected by the numerous farewells and good wishes. He received cheer upon cheer as the vessel left the wharf.

EMIGRATION OF SOLDIERS TO THE COLONIES.

A COMMUTATION OF PENSIONS SCHEME.

GRANTS OF LAND ASKED FOR.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Dec. 1.

The Agents-General for the Australian Colonies met Lord Harris, the Under-Secretary for War, Baron de Worms, Under-Secretary for the Colonies, and Mr. Maxwell, of the War Office, to discuss the propriety of conceding to private soldiers, desirous of emigrating to the colonies, the right to commute their pensions upon an actuarial value similar to that upon which officers commute their pensions. The opinions of the Agents-General were invited upon the question as to whether it would be better to commute the soldiers' pension wholly or partially, and as to whether the colonial Governments would undertake the receipt and payment of the balance of a partially commuted pension to the men, and also as to whether the colonies would grant land to the emigrants. The replies of the Agents-General were to the effect that land in the colonies might be obtained on easy terms. They doubted if special grants of land would be made by the colonies, but they were each willing to refer the question to their respective Governments.

ARRIVAL OF THE ENGLISH MAIL AT ALBANY.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALBANY, SUNDAY.

The R.M.S. Orient, J. K. Riddle, commander, arrived from Colombo at 1.30 p.m. The following are the passengers:—

For Melbourne: Mr. and Mrs. H. Bray and family, Mr. and Mrs. Neave, Mr. and Mrs. Rylander and child, Mr. and Mrs. Welch and family, Messrs. Keating, Melhuish, Mosley, Murray, Booth (2), Newman, Tullidge, Misses Ballantyne, Booth, Keating, Lamb, Mitchell, Mrs. Simpson, Rev. Mr. Cox and Mrs. Cox, Mr. Watson and Mrs. Watson, Master Kilvington.

For Sydney: Mr. and Mrs. Harris and maid, Mr. and Mrs. Sale, Mr. and Mrs. Willis and child, Messrs. Bayley, Black, Peabody, Friend, Hamilton, Harris, Larkworthy, Loe, Mosley, Murray, Neave and wife, Newman, Rogers, Smith, Turner, Under, West, Wright, Misses Brown, McAlister, Madeline Mitchell, Neave, Roberts and maid, Madeline Dwyer (and family), Denton, Hadfield, Nesbitt, Pagan and child, Robinson, Worley, Dr. Cameron, Rev. David, Gardner, G. Green, Kearney, Nesbitt, Hon. — Tollemache and wife.

The Orient also brings 608 for all ports in other classes.

DEATH OF MR. GERMAIN NICHOLSON.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, SUNDAY.

News was received by cable on Saturday of the sudden death of Mr. Germain Nicholson, well known in Melbourne for some 46 years past. In 1851 he took an active part in the movement to stop transportation to the colonies, being one of the so-called "30 patriots of Melbourne" who each subscribed 100 guineas to defray the expenses of sending a deputation to England to represent the matter to the Imperial Government. He was one of the organizers of the Bank of Victoria, and of the Melbourne and Hobson's Bay Railway Company. He had been a magistrate since 1867, but had declined to enter political life. He leaves a widow and daughter.

THE PRINTING TRADE IN MELBOURNE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, SUNDAY.

A special meeting of the board of management of the Melbourne Typographical Society was held in the Trades Hall on Saturday. The president reported that the whole of the non-unionists in the society had been induced to join the society, and that the society was now working in accordance with their rules, the proprietors having agreed to pay the standard rate of wages. This added 65 members to the ranks of unionism. A letter was received from the Australasian Typographical Union giving permission to the society to declare the office open. The union also congratulated the board on the successful termination of the dispute, which has lasted over a period of 15 years.

THE IRONMOLDERS STRIKE IN MELBOURNE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, SUNDAY.

A mass meeting of ironmolders was held in the Trades Hall on Saturday night. The delegates to the conference with the Ironmasters' Association announced that the agreement which was come to in the hope of preventing a misunderstanding had not been signed. The meeting adjourned till Monday. The shops remain closed.

HEAVY STORM AT LISMORE AND CASINO.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LISMORE, SATURDAY.

The intense heat which was experienced here culminated in a heavy cyclone, which broke over the town on Wednesday evening. It lasted 30 minutes and did much damage. The Albert Theatre being levelled to the ground. Many public and private buildings were injured. The damage is estimated at over £4000. The cyclone was followed by heavy hail, thunder, lightning, and rain. The weather still keeps sultry and unsettled. The roads are being cleared of fallen trees. No loss of life is yet reported.

CASINO, SATURDAY.

A fearful storm came up from the south-east yesterday evening and passed over the town. In several places buildings were blown down, and Jordan's Hotel was partially unroofed. One sheet of iron struck a boy named Drinkwater, causing a severe fracture of one of his legs. Many places were completely saturated with water; trees were blown down in all directions, and fruit trees were completely stripped of their fruit. The town for some 30 minutes was quite enveloped in dust. The storm was followed by heavy hail, and then a downpour of rain. The lightning was excessively vivid, and when the darkness passed over the sky had a peculiar dark green color. The temperature in the shade during the last three days was over 100 degrees.

LATE MINING.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BRISBANE, SUNDAY.

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GREAT FAILURE.

The heard spirits were good for cleaning mirrors, as gave him a place of Walker's Whisky for that purpose. He drank the whisky and breathed on the mirror. Result: A failure.—(ADVT.)

INTERCOLONIAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
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VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, SUNDAY.
Today Archbishop Carr laid the foundation stone of the new portion of the Melbourne General Cemetery. It is intended that the vaults beneath the chapel shall be the burial places of the clergy of the diocese, several of whom have already been interred there.

The Legislative Assembly on Tuesday Mr. Gillies will move the second reading of the Chinese Restriction Bill. The measure is expected to call forth an animated discussion, but the Government will strongly urge its adoption.

Three fires started in the Melton district on Saturday by sparks from the engine of the special train to the Melbourne races. Over a thousand acres of grass were burnt. The efforts of the townspeople prevented the fire from extending to the town.

Mr. H. Knipe, one of the unsuccessful candidates for the North-eastern province election to the Legislative Council, has forwarded a telegram to the returning officer, giving notice of his intention to petition against the validity of the election on the 27th inst., which resulted in the return of Mr. J. S. Batters.

The Customs revenue maintains a satisfactory rate of increase. The receipts for November show an increase of £16,941 over the corresponding month of last year, the amount collected being £249,084. The drawback amounted to £7816. The sum refunded on duties collected under the recently withdrawn tariff was £19,000. The amount over the departmental estimate was £7703.

During the week ending yesterday eight cases of diptheria were reported to the Central Board of Health. Five being fatal. Seven cases of typhoid, three of which were fatal, were also reported.

There was a very large attendance yesterday afternoon at the concert at the Exhibition. The popular concert in the evening was also well attended.

The total losses by the Waiwaka fire amount to over £32,000 to £35,000. One-fifth is supposed to have been insured. Several of the premises which were destroyed are insured.

The Primrose, Dr. Barry, and the Bishops of Melbourne, Riverina, and Ballarat took part in the services at the Anglican church, Ballarat, to-day.

At the Theatre Royal, "Halls Across the Sea" does not at all want in popular favour. At the Bijou, "The Squire," after a successful run, was replaced on Saturday night by "Hans, the Boatman," in which Charles Arnold scored another success. The Hampden season at the Alexandra secures a large share of patronage. At the new Princess's "Johanna" was revived with a powerful cast before a full house. At the Opera House the chief event of the week has been the production of "Rigoletto" by the Simmonsen Opera Company. On Saturday night "Il Trovatore" was played for the first time by the present company.

The death of the young woman, Mary Perry, at Mr. Lewis's premises at St. Kilda, is still veiled in mystery. It is understood that the post-mortem examination disclosed nothing to show that death was the result of malpractice.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, SUNDAY.
The small steamer Ritz, bound from Cooktown to Bundaberg in ballast, sprang a leak on Friday morning and foundered shortly afterwards. All hands were saved. They reached Bowen the same night.

The R.M.S. Quetta, from London to Brisbane, arrived at Thursday Island yesterday with 482 immigrants.

The Isabel arrived at Cooktown from Finschaven last evening. Herr Zeller, of the Cologne Gazette is a passenger.

Splendid rain fell again last night and to-day. The rains have extended over a large portion of the colony in varying quantities.

The Government has approved of the water supply scheme for Brisbane, recommended by Mr. Davidson, of Melbourne. It is estimated to cost £215,000. A telegram from Blackall states that all business and townships were called upon yesterday by the representatives of the Shire of Blackall to sign a document binding themselves not to deal with, or in any way encourage the Chinese in the town and district. This has been unanimously signed.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADLAIDE, SUNDAY.
A telegram has been received stating that the natives are very troublesome on Tempe Downs, and also at Glen Station.

A troop from Lake Amodeus reports having seen smoke from a distant point, which the natives informed him was an active volcano.

At the Jubilee Exhibition Rink last evening Washbourne beat Davis in the mile, which was the first event in a match for the skating championship of the world and £1000 prize.

A well known and respected farmer named Steubing, of Hamilton, aged 78, was killed by a bull on Saturday night.

Mr. Haslewood, who started for the ruby fields, has broken down in health, having been attacked with the dysentery north of the Peak. He is coming back to town.

TASMANIA.

HOBART, SUNDAY.
Municipal affairs are exciting a good deal of interest, as the election of three aldermen takes place shortly. The affairs of the City Council are alleged to be in a muddle.

Preparations are now completed at the Sandy Bay Rink for the intercolonial match.

Walter Winter, engine-driver of the Mount Bischoff Company, committed suicide at Waratah by hanging himself in the head. A verdict was returned to the effect that deceased committed suicide while labouring under temporary insanity.

The revenue for last month shows an increase of £877 over that for the same month of last year. The total increase for the 10 months is £24,753.

NEW ZEALAND.

AUCKLAND, SUNDAY.
Mr. Shannon, late of Thompson and Shannon, of Wellington, has been appointed inspector of softwoods in connection with the Customs.

The Belfast Freezing Works at Christchurch have been destroyed by fire. The building and machinery were insured for £38,000. The damage is estimated at £18,000, the principal risk being in the New Zealand for £1200, Liverpool and London and Globe, £1800; London and Lancashire, £1200; North British, £1200; Union, £1000; Victoria, £300; Equitable, £500; Colonial, £500; South British, £500.

RETURN OF THE YACHT ERA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, SUNDAY.

The yacht era, which left for Sydney yesterday, passed Cape Schanck in the course of the afternoon. The era will make a call at Wilson's Promontory, weather permitting, it being the intention of her captain to personally thank the lighthouse-keeper and telegraph station residents for their kindness and attention to the era people when on the cruise from Sydney to Melbourne.

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COUNTRY NEWS.

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ARMIDALE, SATURDAY.

The shearer's difficulty is now as settled. The union men are getting defeated, owing largely to the promptness of Inspector Garvin.

BROKEN HILL, SATURDAY.

At a meeting of the provincial committee of the Separation League this afternoon, a sub-committee was appointed to draw up a scheme to be placed before a public meeting to be held on Wednesday.

The municipal elections passed off successfully. Mr. J. J. Williams heading the poll in Wills Ward. The Mines party, however, have a majority in the council.

A miner was killed in the South mine last night. Inspector Side ordered all work to be stopped. An inquiry was held to-day, showing that the occurrence was purely accidental.

CARCOAR, SATURDAY.

The annual meeting of the Carcoar Branch of the Bible Society was held on Thursday evening. The Rev. Canon Reid was the chairman. The Rev. James Adam, M.A., presented the report, showing that the depot had been most efficiently worked. The subscriptions of the society were almost equal to last year, notwithstanding the drought. The Rev. Henry T. Kobjah, B.A., gave a graphic and most interesting account of the salient features of the work for the year. Messrs. Woolf, Blatchford, and Sim also took part in the meeting.

COOTAMUNDRA, SATURDAY.

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INVERELL, SATURDAY.

Miss Molstead, head mistress of the Public school, was yesterday the recipient of an address and a handsome brooch, the gift of the girls attending the school.

KIAMA, SATURDAY.

In view of the efforts now being made, and the inducements held out to get dairy farmers to send sweet milk to the metropolis by rail, it may safely be predicted that the facilities which the railway offers for trade in this direction will, before many years, revolutionize the dairy interests in this district. In many places the old system has disappeared before the advance of the factories, but some of these find it more profitable to send their milk to Sydney than to convert it into butter.

From Clifton, on the north, to Gerringong, South Illawarra, the temperance organizations number 22, representing over 1500 members. It is proposed to get as many of these people as possible to attend the monster temperance picnic at Lake Hawarra on Friday day, and a large committee has been appointed to try and make arrangements for the largest demonstration ever held in this district.

MORUYA, SATURDAY.

The A. and P. Society has settled the prize schedule for the next annual meeting, but has withheld it from publication, delaying without any reason, and not that the prize schedule is so secret, but that the society is so poor that it is unable to afford to publish it. The prize schedule is so secret, but that the society is so poor that it is unable to afford to publish it.

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TUMBUKUMBA, SATURDAY.

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TOWMOUNT, SATURDAY.

Great indignation is expressed at the action of the Minister for Works in refusing to sanction a deviation of the Jerilderie-Dentgully railway line, via Murray Flat, notwithstanding the fact that such deviation is financially advantageous to the public, and would be a great benefit to the district.

YOUNG, SATURDAY.

Farming is an utter failure. With one or two exceptions, stock have been turned into the paddocks. The potatoes and other crops are very little better. The price of farm and dairy produce have advanced 50 per cent. the last six weeks. Many stations are overstocked, and in consequence there is no demand for sheep. Owners have to rent summer country at high rates.

Fish cultivation is a great success here. Mr. Crawford, of Pinnaroo Station, four years since planted the district with a supply of rainbow trout. Mr. J. A. Macdonald, of Meningie, securing a large number of fish, which were placed in the dam while the dam was low. He on Wednesday and Thursday netted for the purpose of supplying other dams on the estate, and in six hours took over 300, including English perch up to 1lb.

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THE BRISBANE AQUATIC CARNIVAL.

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Beach, Kemp, Stanbury, and Neilson were publicly welcomed at the Metropolitan Hotel yesterday. There was a very large attendance of sporting men and representatives of the various rowing and aquatic clubs. The Mayor of Brisbane presided, and proposed the health of Beach, coupled with the names of the other swimmers. Beach, who was received with enthusiastic applause, returned thanks for the reception. He said he hoped they would have an aquatic handikap like the present one every year, and that they would always have the best of swimmers to compete in it. There was no reason why they should not have a carnival every year. They were giving grand prizes, charging nothing for competitors to enter, and had one of the best courses in the colonies, and nothing more was required to secure the most rowing in the colonies. He intended to compete in the carnival, and though he did not expect to win he would do his best.

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